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Mr. Speaker:

The Judiciary Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 90**, CRIMINAL PENALTY AMENDMENTS, by Representative D. Litvack, with the following amendments:

1. Page 1, Lines 14 through 15: repeals the current criminal provision that enhances penalties for certain crimes that 15 are committed to threaten or intimidate; } Page 2, Lines 32 through 33: REPEALS: 32 {-**33** 76-3-203.3, as last amended by Chapter 274, Laws of Utah 2004 Page 2, Lines 53 through 55: 53 **Section 2. Repealer. 54** This bill repeals: **55** Section 76-3-203.3, Penalty for hate crimes -- Civil rights violation. -} 4. Page 2, Lines 46 through 50 46 (i) the selection is likely to: (A) cause emotional or other harm to the victim { or and other members of 47 the group; or 48 (B) incite community unrest; or 49 (ii) the group is or has been the target of animus, discrimination, legal disabilities, or 50 hate-based crimes; and

Respectfully,

James A. Ferrin Committee Chair

Voting: 10-3-0

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